Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Rabbit meat, which is both delicious and nutritious, has often been overlooked as a tasty source of essential protein in our diet; and,

WHEREAS, Along with being an easily digestible meat, rabbit is relatively inexpensive in comparison to other meats; and,

WHEREAS, This impressive cost factor is due to the rabbit's remarkable feed-to-gain ratio and its amazing reproductive capacity; and,

WHEREAS, In connection with National Rabbit Week, July 12-18, the South Dakota Rabbit Breeders Association and its local clubs will be attempting to reach the public with some special rabbit-related activities; and,

WHEREAS, The purpose of these special events is to promote the consumption of domestic rabbit meat and the growth of the rabbit industry in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, In a world that is always hungry, it is important that South Dakotans be aware of this option, for it holds great potential for our state and the world:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of July 12 through July 18, 1982, as

RAISING RABBITS WEEK

in South Dakota, and I encourage our citizens to become more aware of the advantages of raising and consuming rabbits.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Tenth Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Two

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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